
Digest of Other White House Announcements

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

August 7

In the morning, the President traveled from Little Rock, AR, to Helena, AR. In the afternoon, he returned to Little Rock.

August 8

In the afternoon, the President traveled to St. Louis, MO. In the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC, arriving in the evening.

August 9

In the morning, the President went to Ft. Myer, VA. Later, he returned to Washington, DC.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Atlanta, GA, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joshua Gotbaum to be Controller at the Office of Management and Budget.

The White House announced that the President named J. Terry Edmonds as Assistant to the President and Director of Speechwriting.

August 10

In an early evening ceremony in the Oval Office, the President received diplomatic credentials from Ambassadors Richard Sezibera of Rwanda, Hugo Noe Pino of Honduras, Joao Alberto Bacelar da Rocha Paris of Portugal, Rubens Antonio Barbosa of Brazil, Ahmed Ould Khalifa Ould Jiddou of Mauritania, George Saliba of Malta, Ernesto Maceda of the Philippines, Alfonso Rivero Monsalve of Peru, and Juan Esteban Aguirre Martinez of Paraguay.

August 11

The White House announced that the President accepted an invitation from Prime Minister Jean Chretien for a working visit in Canada on October 8.

August 12

In the evening, the President met with Jewish leaders in the Cabinet Room.

August 13

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton went to Camp David, MD.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released August 9

Statement by the Press Secretary on the appointment of J. Terry Edmonds as Assistant to the President and Director of Speechwriting

Released August 10

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Press Secretary Barry Toiv and NSC Spokesman David Leavy

Statement by the Press Secretary: Designation of Ariana Afghan Airlines Under the Taliban Sanctions

Released August 11

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Press Secretary Barry Toiv and NSC Spokesman David Leavy

Transcript of a press briefing by Agriculture Secretary Daniel Glickman, Secretary of Commerce Bill Daley, and Deputy Chief of Staff Maria Echaveste on the White House Drought Relief Task Force

Statement by the Press Secretary presenting the text of the Presidential Medal of Freedom citations

Statement by the Press Secretary: President Clinton's Visit to Canada

Fact sheet: White House Drought Relief Task Force

Released August 12

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Press Secretary Barry Toiv and NSC Spokesman David Leavy

Transcript of a press briefing by Environmental Protection Agency Administrator Carol Browner, Department of Energy Assistant Secretary for Renewable and Energy Efficiency Dan Reicher, Department of Agriculture Deputy Chief Economist Joseph Glauber, and Deputy Assistant to the President for Environmental Issues Roger Ballentine on Executive Order 13134—Developing and Promoting Biobased Products and Bioenergy

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing the creation of an interagency Manufacturing Task Force

Released August 13

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Press Secretary Barry Toiv and NSC Spokesman David Leavy

Statement by the Press Secretary on the appointment of NSC Special Assistant to the President and Senior Director, Defense Policy and Arms Control

**Acts Approved
by the President**

Approved August 10

H.R. 66 / Public Law 106–45

To preserve the cultural resources of the Route 66 corridor and to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance

Approved August 11

H.R. 2565 / Public Law 106–46

To clarify the quorum requirement for the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States

Approved August 13

S. 1543 / Public Law 106–47

To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to release and protect the release of tobacco production and marketing information